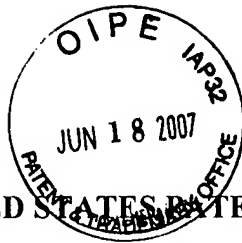


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In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 49745
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Applicant is in receipt of the Decision on the Petition Under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2), dated January 29, 2007, in connection with the above-identified application and respectfully requests that the Issue Fee paid on December 18, 2006, be applied to the attached new Issue Fee Transmittal..

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